

In re PATENT Application of: Conrad, et al.

Filed: December 8, 1998

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR USING EMULATION OBJECTS
FOR DEVELOPING POINT OF SALE APPLICATIONS

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required.
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Total Claims	17	- 20	= 0	X \$9/\$18	= \$0.00
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Case Docket Number: RA9-98-053

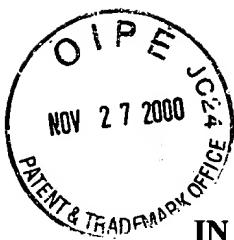
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37CFR § 116

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 24, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Amended) A method for providing [an] a point of sale environment for developing an application on a development system independently of a point of sale system, the application for use with point of sale equipment having a device, the application capable of utilizing the device when the application is executed on the point of sale equipment, the method comprising the steps of:

- (a) providing an emulation module corresponding to the device; and